

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
EASTERN DIVISION**

BRENDON W. MAX,

Petitioner,

v.

TERI LAWSON,

Respondent.

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No. 4:20-CV-379 NCC

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

Petitioner has neither paid the filing fee nor filed a motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis in this habeas corpus action brought pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner will be allocated twenty-one (21) days to do so. Failure to file the motion to proceed in forma pauperis or pay the \$5 filing fee will result in a dismissal of this action, without prejudice.

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Clerk is directed to mail petitioner a copy of the Court's motion to proceed in forma pauperis – habeas cases.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that petitioner must either pay the \$5 filing fee or submit a motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis within twenty-one (21) days of the date of this Order.

Dated this 27th day of March, 2020.

/s/ Noelle C. Collins
NOELLE C. COLLINS
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE